

TOWN OF
G O S H E N
NEW HAMPSHIRE



ANNUAL REPORTS OF OFFICERS
YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1902

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ANNUAL REPORT

Officers of the Town of

G O S H E N ,

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEBRUARY 15, 1902



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Treasurer's Report.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1901,	\$ 19 68
Dog licenses,	83 93
Rec'd of selectmen,	519 06
" S. D. Maxham,	672 73
	<u>2.001 03</u>
	\$3,296 43
Disbursements per order selectmen,	<u>3,258 26</u>
Balance in town treasury Feb. 15, 1902,	\$ 38 17

We, the undersigned auditors, have examined the accounts of the town treasurer, and find them correctly cast and his vouchers satisfactory.

ORRA S. LEAR, }
WM. H. HILL, } Auditors.

Report of Selectmen.

VALUATION OF TOWN.

Real and personal estate,	\$131,870 00
Polls 111,	<u>11,100 00</u>
	\$142,970 00
Rate of taxation, \$1.70 on \$100.	
Total amount of taxes assessed, \$2,433.71.	

RECEIPTS.

Savings bank tax,	\$ 148 48
Literary fund,	26 01
Railroad tax,	7 12
Rec'd of E. Babb, balance on Jones,	13 71
“ for land sold for taxes,	31 00
“ dog fines,	17 74
“ Burk Booth, cash,	<u>275 00</u>
	\$ 519 06
Whole am't paid into treasury from all sources,	\$3,296 43

ABATEMENTS.

From list of 1900,	\$ 5 49
“ 1901,	<u>9 70</u>
	\$ 15 19

REPAIRS ON HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

H. P. Trow,	surveyor,	\$ 28 48
S. D. Maxham,	"	34 21
George F. Crane,	"	48 99
Ned B. Straw,	"	42 48
Herbert Babb,	"	102 39
Elias W. Pike,	"	65 50
Burk Booth,	"	104 43
Fred W. Pike,	"	43 75
Arial Knights,	"	41 43
Russell T. Maxfield,	"	6 20
Edson H. Messer,	"	10 25
Perley H. Lear,	"	45 35
Purington & Gocha,	"	62 05
Chamberlain & Lowe,	"	30 34
John S. Pike,	"	43 58
Blodgett & Purington,	"	51 80
Nelson & Sholes, work on bridge,		6 00
C. H. Horton, labor on highway,		2 88
J. P. Gove estate, lumber,		4 92
G. B. Bartlett, bridge plank and stringers,		59 95
E. W. Pike, lumber,		17 00
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		\$ 851 98

SCHOOL AND OTHER TAXES.

County tax,	\$ 393 91
State, "	255 00
School "	502 84
Library "	25 00
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\$1,176 75	

TOWN OFFICERS

Fred Darrah, dog constable,	\$ 3 00
Fred W. Pike, services as constable,	3 72
Burk Booth, truant officer,	2 00
L. S. Chamberlain, school board,	12 00
William T. Thissell, “	10 00
George F. Crane, “	10 00
“ supervisor,	3 00
Fred N. Lowe, “	3 00
J. J. Richardson, “	3 00
Frank L. Hanson, town clerk,	15 00
W. H. Hill, sexton,	5 50
E. S. Robinson, treasurer,	15 00
G. B. Bartlett, seletman,	20 75
Burk Booth, “	20 00
John B. Gocha, “	16 70
G. B. Bartlett, overseer of the poor,	6 50
Hill and Lear, auditors,	2 00
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	\$ 151 17

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. B. Russell, revenue stamps,	\$ 2 00
Acme Road Machine Co., scraper edge,	8 00
Woodbury & Pollard, insurance on hall,	9 00
R. L. Chamberlain, agent printing reports,	21 00
P. H. Knight, sheep killed by dogs in 1900,	3 00
“ keeping tramps,	1 50
Ezra G. Pike, interest,	5 46
Fred Darrah, expense as dog constable,	7 00
L. S. Chamberlain's bill for Silver,	11 00
William Barton, damage by dogs,	8 00

Horace M. Booth, driving hearse,	5 00
“ repairing road machine,	1 25
Burk Booth, work in cemetery,	5 55
W. H. Hill, “ and lumber,	12 10
G. B. Bartlett, “ and on road,	5 25
“ lumber for cemetery fence,	9 00
J. S. Smart, keeping tramps,	1 50
L. S. Chamberlain, bill for nails, etc.,	2 69
H. B. Russell, librarian,	10 00
Ingalls Reed, keeping tramp,	75
F. P. Jones, M. D., returning births and deaths,	50
Rev. Josiah Hooper, “ marriages,	1 00
E. I. Purington, note and interest,	865 28
Edson H. Messer, work in cemetery,	1 50
E. A. Purington, conveying Florence Nichols to County farm,	2 00
F. P. Rowell, drain tile,	5 90
E. Babb, keeping tramps,	1 50
E. W. Pike, water tub,	2 00
“ care of town hall,	2 00
S. D. Maxham, collecting taxes in 1900,	6 57
F. L. Hanson, returning births, marriages, deaths and clerk's supplies,	10 20
School supplies,	46 56
Record, tax, surveyor's, collector's books, blanks, stationery,	4 30
	<hr/> \$1,078 36

ASSETS.

Due from M. C. Gregg, attorney, for S. B. Trow,	\$ 185 00
“ S. D. Maxham, collector, 1900,	100 90
“ H. B. Russell, “ 1901,	422 98
“ sale of unredeemed lands,	86 87
Cash in treasury,	38 17
	<hr/> \$ 833 92

OUTSTANDING.

Arvilla M. Alexander, note and interest,	\$ 580 92
Burk Booth, note,	275 00
	<u>\$ 855 92</u>
Balance against town,	\$ 22 00.

Respectfully submitted,

G. B. BARTLETT,	} Selectmen of Goshen.
BURK BOOTH,	
JOHN B. GOCHA,	

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ORRA S. LEAR,	} Auditors.
WM. H. HILL,	

Report of Library Committee.

We were unfortunate in having the major part of our library books destroyed by fire last December. The committee will do the best they can under existing circumstances to again put the library in good working order. Several of our citizens have very generously donated books, and the committee have expended the regular appropriation of \$25. These with the few saved from the fire, will give us quite a fair nucleus at least for a library.

The committee desire to express their thanks for the sympathy and encouragement they have received from parties even outside the state, especially the association known as "New Hampshire's Daughters," of the state of Massachusetts, (which holds a meeting each month in Boston,) as expressed to us through a member of its sociology committee, Miss E. A. Knowlton.

ROSE E. PURINGTON,	}	Library
F. L. HANSON,		
EMMA A. SHOLES,	}	Committee.
O. E. FARR,		
W. T. THISSELL,		

Report of School Board.

To the inhabitants of Goshen school district :

The School Board begs leave to submit their report. Number of schools taught, nine, as follows :

Div. No. 1, first term	taught by	Stella M. Perry
1, second term	"	Myrtie M. Cutts
1, third " "	" "	" "
3, first " "	" "	Mrs. Geo. B. Bartlett
3, second " "	" "	Florence B. Perkins
4, first " "	" "	Arthur G. Lord
4, second " "	" "	Ethel E. Fosburgh
4, third " "	" "	Viola E. Chamberlain
5, first and only term, "	" "	Helen L. Ivers

With one or two exceptions, our schools have been taught by teachers of considerable experience, and those who taught for the first time bid fair to make excellent teachers.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Lillian Rouelle, Harold Sholes, Walter Magoon, Gala Gee, Alta McLaughlin, Ethel Chamberlain, Florence J. Trow, Edna Chamberlain, Ina S. Sanborn, Lela Thornton, Charles D. Maxham.

L. S. CHAMBERLAIN,	} School Board
W. T. THISSELL,	
GEO. F. CRANE,	
	} of
	} Goshen.

Report of School Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

E. W. Pike, treasurer 1901,	\$ 9 43
Town treasurer,	502 84

DISBURSEMENTS.

L. S. Chamberlain, for wood and cleaning house,	\$ 8 35
Arthur G. Lord, teaching, care of school, board, etc., in Div. 4,	66 00
Lizzie Bartlett, teaching in Div. 3,	59 00
L. S. Chamberlain, school supplies etc.,	1 50
Pauline N. Hurd, cleaning school-house,	1 00
Helen Ivers, teaching in Div. 5,	44 00
Myrtie M. Cutts, teaching and board in Div. 1,	40 00
Edson Messer, carrying scholars in Div. 5,	15 00
John S. Smart, boarding teacher in Div. 4,	20 00
Ethel Fosburgh, teaching in Div. 4,	24 00
Harold Sholes, building fires in Div. 4,	1 00
Fred Hurd, cleaning chimney in Div. 5,	50
L. S. Chamberlain, cleaning house and putting in wood Div. 4,	1 25
Florence B. Perkins, teaching and building fires in Div. 2,	36 00
Stella Perry, teaching in Div. 1,	54 00
Nathan S. Johnson, for the district of Newbury, schooling the Fortune boy,	3 60
Myrtie Cutts, teaching and board in Div. 1,	48 00

James Scranton, building fires in Div. 4,	1 50
Viola E. Chamberlain, teaching and board in Div. 4,	48 00
W. T. Thissell, cleaning house and setting win-	
dow glass Div. 1,	2 50
W. T. Thissell, putting in glass in Div. 2,	2 00
B. F. Lear, fixing door in Div. 3,	25
Mrs. McDonald, wood in Div. 1,	9 93
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	\$ 486 38
Balance in hands of treasurer,	\$ 25 89

E. S. ROBINSON, School Treasurer.

VITAL STATISTICS.

In compliance with an Act of Legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," we submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Goshen, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date, 1901	Name of child (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Parents' color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace and age of Father	Birthplace and age of Mother
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	Number of Child	Color						
Mar 4	Mary Olive Winter	F		2	white	Joseph C. Winter	Mary Belle Dodge	Goshen	Hotel keeper	Providence R. I.	Goshen
Mar 25	William Craig Smith	M		3		Marion W. Smith	Adell Fulton		Farmer	Oscola Ind.	Fletcher Vt.
July 20	Luella Ida Royce	F	Liv.	1		William H. Royce	Elizabeth C. Adams		"	Charlestown	Goshen
Oct 16		F		6		Elber W. Hurd	Frances M. Cain		"	Goshen	"
Aug 22		M.		3		Willie E. Hove	Mabel Brison		"	Hemister E. Boston	

Marriages Registered in the Town of Goshen, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date 1901	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Age, yrs.	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Groom and Bride	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Condi- tion	Name, Residence and Official Station of Per- son by whom married
Mar 26	Goshen	Erwin P. Follansbee Gertrude O'Rourke	Enfield Goshen	20 20	White	Teamster House maid	Grafton Sutton Vt	Oren Follansbee Sarah Winship John O'Rourke	Worcester Mass Enfield	1	Rev. Josiah Hooper Goshen
May 1	"	Orra S. Lear Althine F. Sholes	" "	40 43	White	Farmer	Goshen Goshen	Nora S. Stacy Dennis Lear Laura A. Emery Hiram Sholes	Canada Goshen Newbury Orford	1	"
May 17	"	William H. Barton Mary F. Henry	" Central Falls R I	54 51	White	Farmer House keeper	Pembroke Dennis Port Mass	Lois Dolloff Hosea B. Barton Frances R. Brown Samuel Wixon	Goshen Croydon Concord Dennis Port Mass	2	"
July 1	East Lempster	E. DeForest Blossom Emma C. Crear	Goshen Chelsea Mass	47 34	White	Poultryman	Malden Mass St John N B	Elvira Frost Hiram A. Blossom Lucinda H. Measury Leonard P. Crear	Wrentham Mass Turner Maine Wrentham Mass St John N B	1	Rev. W. F. Felch Lempster
Nov 28	Goshen	William C. Tripp Alice H. Davis	Westport Mass Goshen	26 18	White	Butcher	Westport Mass Poffton Canada	Jane R. Sayre Charles H. Tripp Martha J. Simmons Willis M. Davis Nellie E. Tatno	Dorchester N B Westport Mass. Tiverton R I Cambridge Vt Troy Vt	1	Rev. Josiah Hooper Goshen

Deaths Registered in the Town of Goshen, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date 1901	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex and Condition			Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Name of Mother	
		Y	M	D		Male	Female	Color		S or Wid'd				
											S M			S M
Apr 3	George H. Crane	18	4	25	Washington	M		white	S			Deering Goshen	Worcester Mass- Lempster Springfield Newport	Mary E. Brewer Abigail Wellman Bertie Chase Betsy D. Perry
May 4	Ruth M. Booth	65			Goshen				W					
June 8	Arvilla M. Lewis	61	5	18	Hopkinton	M	F		M			Ellsworth Me		
July 19	Jessiel P. Gove	64	3	11	Newport	M			M					

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns of Births, Marriages and Deaths are correct, according to my best knowledge and belief.

FRANK L. HANSON Town Clerk.

